

Amendments to the Claims

This listing of claims will replace all prior versions, and listings, of claims in the application.

Listing of Claims:

Claim 1-4 (canceled)

Claim 5 (new)           An automated tensioner comprising a sprocket or pulley rotatably attached to an arm, the arm having an integral leg portion slideable within a closed end bore formed in a latching base, the leg portion slideable away from the base and prevented from moving towards the base through a latching porthole in an elongate latch, wherein said leg portion has a pin protruding therefrom, the pin disposed slideably within a groove formed in the latching base.